(b) to (e) Do not arise.

(f) Railway lines are constructed to meet transportation requirements and not on the basis of area or population of the region or State.

Supply of essential commodities to Andhra Pradesh

2034. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) the monthly requirement and consumption of rice, sugar, wheat and other essential commodities in Andhra Pradesh during 1.1.1990 to 31.7.1990 month & district-wise;

(a) the actual supply made month and district wise; and

(c) steps contemplated by Government to fully meet the requirement?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI RAM PUJAN PATEL): (a) to (c) Allocations of rice, wheat and imported edible oils from the Central Pool for supply through Public Distribution System (PDS) are made on a month to month basis taking into account the demand from States, the stock position in the Central Pool, market availllability, *inter-se* requirement of States/UTs., past off take etc.

Levy sugar allocation to States/U.Ts. including Andhra Pradesh is made on a unform norm of 425 grams per capita monthly availability for the projected population as on 1.10.1986. The monthly levy sugar quota for Andhra Pradesh is 25281 M. Tonnes.

Kerosene requirements of States/UTs, including Andhra Pradesh are assessed by allowing a suitable growth over the allocations made for the corresponding period of the previous year. Adhoc releases are also given to meet specific situations like flood, drought, cyclone etc.

Allocation of these items from the Central Pool are made to the States as a whole. Internal distribution within the State is the responsibility of the State Government concerned.

Allocation of PDS items like rice, wheat, sugar and imported edible oil is only supplemental in nature and not intended to meet the entire requirement of any State or U.T.

A statement indicating Demand and Allocation of rice, wheat and imported edible and allocations of kerosene to Andhra Pradesh for the period from 1.1.1990 to 31.7.1990 is enclosed. (*See* below)

Statement

Supply of Essential Commodities to Andhra Pradesh

(in thousand tonnes)

Commodity	Jan. 1990	Feb. 1990	March 1990	April 1990	May 1990	June 1990	July 1990
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Rice (Demand)	200.0	200.0	200.0	85.0	85.0	135.0	135.0
(Allocation)	80.0	90.0	85.0	85.0	135.0+	135.0	135.0
Wheat							
(Demand)	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	40.0	20.0
(Allocation)	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	20.0	20.0	20.0

+Includes 50,000 tonnes for cyclone relief.

Quantity in Mts.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Imported Edible Oil							
(Demand)	Andhra Pradesh had made a demand of 91,200 MTs of imported edible oil for the oil year 1989-90 (November-October).						
					(Qty. in MTs.)		
(Allocation)	1000	1000	1500	1850	3500	5000	6500
Kerosene							
(Allocation)	53300	53300	44737	44737	46545*	45737*	46440

*Quantity includes ad-hoc allocations of 1808 and 1000 tonne in May and June.

Late running of passenger trains

2035. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that nowadays the passenger trains are running very late in departure as well as arrivals; and

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor and what steps are being taken to keep the scheduled time?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI AJAY SINGH): (a) and (b) Panctuality of trains has been adversely affected on Railways mainly on account of unforeseen factors like alarm chain pulling, accidents, agitations, bandhs, bad weather and certain equipment failures. Round the clock monitoring of trains has been intensified.

Former members of the council of Ministers occupying Government bungalows

2036. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the former members of the Council of Ministers who have not yet vacated Government bungalows after they ceased to be *Members of Parliament, also their* bungalow locations;

(b) from amongst them, who are now M. Ps but are residing in bungallows of the type for which they are not entitled; also the locations of their bungalows;

(c) steps taken to get all such bungalows vacated and the results thereof;

(d) whether it is a fact that some members and ex-Members of Parliament even after their appointment as Governors of States, are still continue to occupy bungalows allotted to them in Delhi; what are the locations *of their bungalows;*

(e) the steps taken to get these bungalows vacated; and

(f) the amount of rent arrears against each of them?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MURASOLI MARAN): (a) As per Statement -I

(b) As per statement-II.

(c) So far 18 former Members of the Council of Ministers who are no longer Members of Parliament have vacated the Government bungalows. In many cases the accommodation could be got vacated only after litigation taken against them. So far as Members of Parliament who are residing in bungalows above their entitled type are concerned, efforts are *being made to persuade them to vacate* the same and shift to their entitled